

Graphic Organizer: Persuasive Essay Plan

Persuasive Essay Outline	Possible Structure	Notes, Comments and Ideas
Introduction	"Hook"	
	Introduce the Issue.	
	State your position clearly.	
	Transition to the essay body.	
Body	Pro Reason 1	
	Supporting Evidence (Highlight evidence, give statistics or share a personal story)	
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	Pro Reason 2	
	Supporting Evidence (Highlight evidence, give statistics or share a personal story)	
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	State the opposing position	
	Supporting Evidence (Highlight evidence, give statistics or share a personal story)	
	Explain why these might be true but....	
	Pro Reason 3 (Your Most powerful Argument)	
	Supporting Evidence (Highlight evidence, give statistics or share a personal story)	
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	Conclusion	Transition to conclusion
Restate Your Position		
Summary of Reasons (Optional)		
Clincher (Conclude with your opinion or a "call to action")		